United States Embassy Tokyo, Japan



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OPEN TO: All Interested Candidates

POSITION: Secretary, FSN-120-6, FP-8 (position number N92008)

OPENING DATE: January 30, 2004 **CLOSING DATE:** February 20, 2004

WORK HOURS: Full Time 40 hours/week

SALARY: *Not-Ordinarily Resident: FP-8 US\$30,191 p.a. (Starting salary)

(Position Grade: FP-8 is confirmed by Washington)

*Ordinarily Resident: FSN-6 ¥5,487,739 p.a. (Starting salary)

Note:

• Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

- All ordinarily resident applicants must be residing in country and have the required work and/or residency permits to be eligible for consideration.
- Please note that U.S. taxes are deducted for U.S. citizens and green card holders.
- A copy of the complete position description listing all duties and responsibilities is available in the Human Resources Office. Contact Mary Smith at 03-3224-5640.

The U.S. Embassy in Tokyo is seeking individual for the position of secretary in the FINATT section.

BASIC FUNCTION OF POSITION

Under the supervision of the Financial Attache (FINATT), provides clerical and related support services to the office in support of U.S. macroeconomic and financial policy. The incumbent reports to an is rated by FINATT.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

NOTE: All applicants must address each selection criterion detailed below with specific and comprehensive information supporting each item.

- 1. Education: U.S. High school diploma or host country equivalency is required.
- 2. Prior Work Experience: Three years of progressively responsible experience in business management or another closely related field is required.
- 3. Language Proficiency: Level III (Good Working Knowledge) Speaking/Writing/Reading English is required. Level IV (Fluent) Speaking/Writing/Reading Japanese is required.
- 4. Knowledge: Some knowledge of local financial markets, organizations, and customs; oral and written business Japanese is required.
- 5. Skills and Abilities: Keyboard at a minimum of 40 wpm is required. Ability to deal with high-ranking government and business representatives and their staffs from Japan and the U.S. with tact and efficiency is required. Ability to use standard business software such as Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook is required.
- 6. Post Entry Training: Training on e-mail software used by office is required.

SELECTION PROCESS

When equally qualified, Appointment Eligible Family Members (AEFMs) and U.S. Veterans will be given preference. Therefore, it is essential that the candidate address the required qualifications above in the application.

ADDITIONAL SELECTION CRITERIA

- 1. Management will consider nepotism/conflict of interest, budget, and residency status in determining successful candidacy.
- 2. Current employees serving a probationary period are not eligible to apply.
- 3. Currently employed AEFMs who hold a FMA appointment are ineligible to apply for advertised positions within the first 90 calendar days of their employment.

TO APPLY

Interested applicants for this position must submit the following or the application will not be considered:

- 1. Application for U.S. Federal Employment (SF-171 or OF-612); or
- 2. A current resume or curriculum vitae that provides the same information as an OF-612; plus
- 3. Candidates who claim U.S. Veterans preference must provide a copy of their Form DD-214 with their application.
- 4. Any other documentation (e.g., essays, certificates, awards, copies of degrees earned) that addresses the qualification requirements of the position as listed above.

Applications are available in the HR office. Contact Mary Smith at 5640 or access the Embassy's website http://japan.usembassy.gov/e/info/tinfo-jobs.html

SUBMIT APPLICATION TO

Human Resources Office Attention: Mary Smith

Address: 1-10-5, Akasaka, Minato-ku,

Tokyo 107-8420

POINT OF CONTACT

Mary Smith

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DEFINITIONS

- 1. AEFM: A type of EFM that is eligible for direct hire employment on either a Family Member Appointment (FMA) or Temporary Appointment (TEMP) provided s/he meets all of the following criteria:
 - -- US citizen;
 - --Spouse or dependent who is at least age 18;
 - --Listed on the travel orders of a Foreign or Civil Service or uniformed service member permanently assigned to or stationed at a US Foreign Service post or establishment abroad with a USG agency that is under COM authority;
 - --Is resident at the sponsoring employee's or uniform service member's post of assignment abroad, approved safehaven abroad, or alternate safehaven abroad; and
 - --Does not receive a USG annuity or pension based on a career in the US Civil, Foreign, or uniform services.
- 2. EFM: Family Members at least age 18 listed on the travel orders of a Foreign of Civil Service or uniformed service member permanently assigned to or stationed to a US Foreign Service post or establishment abroad with a USG agency that is under COM authority who do not meet the definition of AEFM above.
- 3. Member of Household: A MOH is a person who: 1) Has accompanied, but is not/not on the travel orders of a U.S. citizen Foreign or Civil Service employee or uniform service member permanently assigned to or stationed at a U.S. Foreign service post or establishment abroad; 2) Has been declared by the sponsoring employee to the Chief of Mission as part of his/her household; and 3) Resides at post with the sponsoring employee.
- 4. Ordinarily Resident (OR): A citizen of the host country or a citizen of another country who has shifted the main residency focus to the host country and has the required work and/or residency permits for employment in country.
- 5. Not-Ordinarily Resident (NOR): Typically NORs are AEFMs and EFMs of FS, GS, and uniform service members who are on the travel orders and under Chief of Mission authority, or other personnel having diplomatic privileges and immunities.